

BEFORE THE FLORIDA JUDICIAL QUALIFICATIONS COMMISSION
STATE OF FLORIDA

INQUIRY CONCERNING A

Florida Supreme Court
Case No.: SC00-2226

JUDGE: CYNTHIA A. HOLLOWAY
NO.: 00-143

**SPECIAL COUNSEL'S MOTION TO LIMIT CHARACTER AND
REPUTATION WITNESSES**

The Undersigned special counsel hereby moves to limit the number of character and/or reputation witnesses to be called by Judge Cynthia A. Holloway and as grounds therefore states:

1. On February 2nd, 2001, Judge Cynthia A. Holloway served a list of 13 witnesses who will testify in one way or another about her character and reputation. (*See* List of Character Witnesses Attached as Exhibit A).
2. The presentation of numerous witnesses on the same subject matter is needlessly time-consuming, cumulative and repetitive.
3. Undersigned counsel requests a pre-hearing ruling that the Hearing Panel limit the number of character witnesses to three or in the alternative, any amount the panel deems appropriate.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned Special Counsel, on behalf of the JUDICIAL QUALIFICATIONS COMMISSION, hereby files its Motion to Limit Character and Reputation Witnesses, and respectfully requests this the Motion be granted.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

WE HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by U.S. Mail to: Honorable Thomas D. Hall, Clerk, Supreme Court of Florida 500 South Duval

Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1927; with copies by U.S. Mail and Facsimile to: Scott K. Tozian, Esquire, SMITH & TOZIAN, P.A., 109 North Brush Street, Suite 150, Tampa, Florida 33602; Michael S. Rywant, Esq. RYWANT, ALVAREZ, JONES, RUSSO & GUYTON, P.A., 109 N. Brush Street, Suite 500; John Beranek, Esquire, AUSLEY & McMULLEN, Washington Square Building, 227 Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32302; Honorable James R. Jorgenson, Chair, Hearing Panel, Third District Court of Appeals, 2001 S.W. 117th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33175-1716; and Thomas C. MacDonald, Jr. General Counsel, JQC, COOK & MACDONALD, 100 N. Tampa Street, Suite 2100, Tampa, Florida 33602, this ____ day of February, 2001.

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